Nease type a plus sign (+) inside this bo

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

ostitute for form 1449A/PTO

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

	(use	as many sn	eets as	necessary,
Sheet	1		of	2

Complete if Known				
Application Number	09/616,842			
Filing Date	July 14, 2000			
First Named Inventor	Arthur Lin et al.			
Group Art Unit	2731	_		
Examiner Name	not yet assigned			
Attorney Docket Number	112025-0067C1			

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials *	Cite No.1		U.S. Patent Document Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document Property (if known) Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document Property (if known)		Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	
TN		5,764,641	Lin, et al.	06-09-1998		
77		5,953,341	Yamanaka, et al.	09-1999		
T		6,463,068	Lin, et al.	10-08-2002		
					RECEIVED	
					SEP 0 9 2003	
					Technology Center 2600	
		-				
						
					· v	

	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examine r Initials* Cite No.1		Foreign Patent Document			Name of Patentee or	Date of Publication of	Pages, Columns, Lines,	
	Office ³	Number⁴	Kind Code ⁵ (if known)	Applicant of Cited Document	Cited Document MM- DD-YYYY	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Т ₆	
						:		
					-			

Examiner Signature Town D. Ngruyer Date Considered	03/24/04
--	----------

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

¹ Unique citation designation number. 2 See attached Kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

ase type a plus sign (+) inside this box	+
--	---

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO

Sheet

PTO/SB/08A (08-00) Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(use as many sheets as necessary)

of

 Complete if Known

 Application Number
 09/616,842

 Filing Date
 July 14, 2000

 First Named Inventor
 Arthur Lin et al.

 Group Art Unit
 2731

 Examiner Name
 not yet assigned

 Attorney Docket Number
 112025-0067C1

OTHER PRIOR ART NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials *	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.					
TN		FLOYD, S. AND JACOBSON, V., "Random Early Detection Gateways for Congestion Avoidance", August., 1993 IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networking, pp. 1-32					
		·					
-		RECEIVE	D				
		SEP 0 9 2003					
·.		Technology Center 2	600				
	t i						
-							
,							

Examiner Signature	Toan	D.	Ngruzen	Date Considered	03/24/04

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Unique citation designation number. ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.